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SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
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POINT PROGRAMME FOR MINORITIES
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Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

the steps taken by the Government for the welfare of the minorities under 15-point programme so that the unemployed persons of the minorities can get employment by registering their names?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE & EMPOWERMENT (SMT. SUBBULAKSHMI JAGADEESAN)

The 15-Point Programme is in the nature of guidelines issued to various Ministries/State Governments/Public Sector Undertakings and envisages special consideration for minorities in recruitment particularly for the Cental and State Police Forces.

The Ministy of Social Justice & Empowerment is implementing a Scheme of Coaching and Allied Assistance for weaker sections among Minorities alongwith SCs and OBCs for admission into various professional and technical institutions as well as for recruitment to various posts and services in both public and private sectors. Under the scheme the students are also given stipendiary benefits.

However, there is no stipulation of separate registration of unemployed persons belonging to the minorities.